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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mark TUOMENOKSA et al.

Application No.: 09/832,339

Filed: April 11, 2001

For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR  
PARTNERS IN VIRTUAL NETWORKS

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)) Group Art Unit: 2135  
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)) Examiner: Akpati, Odaiche T.  
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)) Confirmation No.: 8607  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

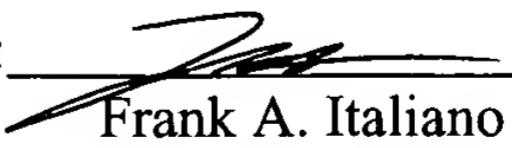
Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of October 6, 2004. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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